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# Needs of

ord Selborne Explains How Large Expenditure Is Really Required.

cessity of Having Large Ships.

Great Britain Ready to Join Other Nations in Curtailing Construction.

London, Aug. 9.—Replying to the criti-London, Aug. 3.—Replying to the criti-cism of the naval expenditure in the House of Lords today, Lord Selborne, First Lord of the Admiralty, warmly de-fended the outlay. He said it was more important than ever before that the bat-tleships should be of the largest and best type.

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Referring to submarine boats, Lord Selborne said their value for defensive purposes had been abundantly proved. They were a great addition to the national strength. He did not believe submarine boats had reached their limit of improvement or usefulness. The lessons from the war in the Far East were the importance of the personnel, the necessity for having a margin of strength and the fact that without battleships no power could hold or win command of the sea.

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Lord Selborne said the offer of Lord Gochen made when he was first lord of the admiralty, that if other nations would agree to diminish their rate of shipbuilding, Great Britain would not be slow to join the movement, had not been withdrawn, but the conditions now were more complicated. A few years ago it would have sufficed if France and Great Britain had agreed to diminish their shipbuilding, but now there was almost half a dozen great naval powers, and Great Britain and France must consider the expenditure of other powers. The two powers' standard was convenient as regards buttleships, but had never had its application to cruisers or torpedo boats.

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Plainfield, Ind., Aug. 9.—Running at ixty miles an hour, Vandalia train No. 0 struck a broken rail near the depot ere today. Five cars were turned over nd destroyed by fire caused by the explosion of a gas tauk. None of the assengers were killed. The fire also insumed a grain elevator and a string freight cars.

ANOTHER TRAIN WRECK.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—The following is a sist of killed and infured in the colli-tion between a Chicago and Eric train unning on the Panhandle tracks and a

Nanaimo, B. C., Aug. 9.-Having ex-Its Popularity.

R. P. FITHET CO. L.T.D. Manamino B. C., Aug. 9.—Harding experienced the sweets of municipal ownership ever since the water works system was purchased two or three years ago Namamo is looking with acquisitive eyes on the electric light works. Last ago Millimo is looking with adjustive eyes on the electric light works. Last evening a special committee of the city council was instructed to enter into negotiations with the Electric Light Company with a view of learning what price they set upon their property. The fact that the city is the largest customer of the company will commend the purchase of the works to the ratephyers should the price he acceptable. The company is at present putting in an extensive water-power plant and new works on the Millstone stream. This should be in operation early in October.

Superintendent Dawes of Newerstle quarry is in receip-to finfermation from San Francisco that the sample cargo of stone recently sent down by the Robert Hud has attracted the most favorable notice in California. Judges of stone say it is the best building material every received and the lessees of the quarry large contracts. It is probable that in a short time the output of the quarry will be very largely increased.

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AFFAIRS AT PORT SIMPSON.

Methodist Missionary Reaches His Post
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Port Simpson, Aug. 5.—(Special)—Rev. Mr. Grenfel, the new Methodist divine for this place, and his family arrived here a few days ago, and is now in charge of the mission. The Methodist mission here has been without a pastor nearly the entire summer, the exception being the few weeks Mr. Knott of Victoria was here last spring. In the ordinary sense it is not really a vacancy that was not filled, but a condition caused by the fact that Mr. Freeman, the regular minister having become seriously troubled with his throat early last spring and was compelled to give up the work for a while, and he going east for a charge and a vacation.

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# The Navy VICTORIA SCENE OF DESTRUCTIVE FIRE

Warmly Defends Outlay and Nc- Blaze Which Broke Out in Albion Iron Works Burned For Kuroki Preparing to Altack Blocks, Destroying Many Residences And Doing Great Damage.

# MANY ARE RENDERED HOWELESS

Area Bounded by Government, Pembroke, Blanchard Streets And Queens Avenue The Stricken District---Loss Probably \$100,000.

Fire, which originated in the pattern room of the Albion Iron Works, yesterday afternoon, destroyed the eastern section of the building and about thirty-five houses situated east of Douglas street, from Pembroke street to Queen's avenue.

The fire in the residential quarter rendered homeless a number of families, and in addition to the loss of the houses a considerable amount of furniture and personal effects was destroyed.

The total loss is estimated at about \$100,000.

The efforts of the Fire Department prevented the flames from spreading to the lumber yards of the Shawnigan Lake Company, adjuning the Albion Iron Works, but little could be done to save the houses above Douglas street.

The question of relief to those of the sufferers who can least afford their losses is under consideration by the city authorities.

the history of Victoria occurred yes-terday, resulting in a total loss estimated approximately at \$100,000 and ren-

o'clock in the pattern room of the Al-bion Iron Works on Store street. A general alarm was sent in to the fire department, which was on the scenin quick time. But the strong south-westerly wind prevented the firemen extinguishing the blaze, which gained very rapid headway, and all of the building east of the foundry was seen to be doomed. The flames and smoke poured, through the roof and were carried across the vacant ground other side of Government street. oured into the iron works some of the of their efforts towards extinguishing unit. Ind the big number yards gone up it is hard to say where the trouble would have ended. With the high wind prevailing half the city might have been destroyed. While the attention of across to Douglas street and started

on the corner of Pembroke street on the corner of Pendroke street.

Almost immediately afterwards sparks from these buildings were carried up to a house on Douglas street at Princess avenue, from which the conflagration spread to various houses in the vicinity intil practically two whole streets from ast of Pembroke to Que

in double quick time and a mander of the soldiers from Work Point, who also arrived at a run.

Meanwhile the fire department, having got the blaze at the iron works under control, came up in force to Douglas street, but the water pressure, which had been poor on Store street, practically gave out on the higher level, and little or nothing cout, be done with the hose. The remarkable feature of the conflagration was the manner in which the flames "jumped" from one place to another and the strong wind which doomed to destruction the buildings immediately in its path left unscathed those buildings adjoining to the soutior west. Thus several houses on Douglas street between Pembroke and Queen's avenue escaped destruction. The Leland Hotel on the corner of Douglas and Queen's avenue was, one of these, alheing the few weeks Mr. Knott of Victoria was here last spring. In the ordinary sense it is not really a vacancy that was not filled, but a condition caused by the fact that Mr. Freeman, the regular minister having become seriously troubled with his throat early last spring and was compelled to give up the work for a while, and he going east for a charge and a vacation.

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Mrs. Richards, matron of the Indian Rocy's Mission, is visiting for a week semong those who had lost all their world possessions in a few minutes. Simpson this week with Mrs. Hogan.

The WAIER SUPPLY

There were numerous criticisms directed against the supply of water, the general impression being that it was worfully inadequate, and the Colonist yesterday evening asked Water Commissioner Raymur for a statement regarding the condition of the service during the progress of the fire.

Mr. Raymur said that as soon as the serious nature of the outbreak was renorted everything was opened wide at Ellk lake, the main pumping plant pushed to its limit, the Yates street pump, which supplies the migher levels, shut down, and all the valves opened so that

BLANCHARD ST.

WEST. Star indicates where fire originated.

Plan of Streets Indicating Locality of Burned Area.

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The fire had burnt itself out by half-past seven in the evening, but was smouldering all night, necessitating a careful watch by the firemen. The general opinion is that, considering the high wind prevailing and the inadequate supply of water, the city had a fortunate escape from a very much heavier loss.

## LOSS AT ALBION

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Interviewed yesterday evening Mr. W. F. Bullen, of Bullen Bros., who have leased the Albion Iron Works, said the loss at the latter institution was a very serious one, as his firm would be seriously hampered in the execution of several important contracts which they have in hand. He had not yet had time to compute the actual property loss by the fire. All the buildings east of the foundry were destroyed with the exception of the store house. New plant and machinery had lately been installed in certain of the works, and this was destroyed.

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Mr. Bullen was not in a position to speak of the amount of insurance, but from other enquiries made it was ascertained that the Albion Iron Works Company carried insurance to the amount of \$75,000.

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Night and day shifts were being employed at the Albion and Mr. Bullen stated last evening that as many men as possible would be transferred to the works at Esquimalt and continued on the jobs in hand.

Mr. Bullen was loud in praise of the action of the sailors and soldiers in coming so promptly to the assistance of the firemen and rendering such valuable services. He says Victoria is fortunate indeed in naving such a brave and willing body of men at hand ready 40 help in such emergencies.

# THE WATER SUPPLY

This had the effect of giving a great that water was not available at Upper Princess avenue was due to the fact that twelve streams were running and all the engines pumping at the Albion Iron Works. Naturally, said Mr. Raymur, all the water was sucked to one point, namely, the Albion Iron Works, and as soon as the engines ceased working at that point water was in abundance higher up the street. It must be remembered also, that every private hose in the district was also in use, and that the fire occurred at a time when lawn sprinkling was going on all over the city. In the opinion of many, however, the fire demonstrates the urgent need of a new main.

### MAYOR BARNARD ACTIVE

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His Worship Mayor Barnard and Ald. Oddy visited the scene of the fire last evening and made enquiries respecting the necessity of aid being rendered by the city to provide shelter and other assistance for the unfortunates who lost their homes. He found that most of those who had been burned out had, with the assistance of friends, made arrangements for the night, and were busily removing their goods and chattels to temporary quarters. The mayor was desirous of doing everything possible to relieve pressing distress, but from personal investigation did not think the situation warranted any immediate chiborate programme of succor. He will, however, this morning make the fullest enquiries and be prepared to deal promptly with cases which require relief.

# THE SAILORS AND SOLDIERS

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Very shortly after the spread of the
fire to the residences above Douglas
street, a company of marines and bluejackets, under Lieut. Mares, arrived on
the scene. Captain Parry, R. N., also
was there. The "handy men" went right
to the root of the trouble immediately
on their arrival, and did some good
work in extinguishing the fires which
started in the grass of Finlaison's field
adjoining Queen's avenue, where a lot
of furniture was piled. They also
helped to bring out the furniture from
the doomed houses. Later the parry
went into the thick of the fire in Princess avenue, and by laying low one of
the houses there stayed the swend of
the flames which otherwise would have
(Continued on Page Five.)

# Are Near A Contact

Great Armies of Japan and

Point Just West of

Linevitch Reported Coming From Direction of Vladivostock to Help Kuropatkin.

Mukden, Aug. 9.—The Japanese are using the Shanhaikwan-Yinkow railway for providing the army with supplies and mobilizing troops for an attack on

Simmantum, about thirty miles west of Mukden.

Sinmintum is the northern terminus of the Shanhal Kwan railway from Koanngtz, about seventy miles southwest of Simmintum; a branch line connects with Yinkow, which is about 53 miles southwast of Koupangt.

A Russian correspondent in a despatch from Tatchekhao, July 23, said it was believed that the Shanhalkwan railway was then under the control of the Japanese with the consent of the Chinese. As early as March 29 last the Shanhalkwan correspondent of the London Dally Mail asserted that the Chinese had received official authorization to turn over the plant of the railway to the Japanese. The Japanese are in control of the Gulf of Lindung, and should the statement in the despatch from Mukden prove to be correct, it would indicate that they are landing troops at Shanhalkwan, the southern terminus of the railway, and transporting them to Shinmintum. The strategic importance of the possession of the railway which was sought by the Russians early in the war, is apparent.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 9.—It is reported in military circles that Lieut.-General Linevitch is marching with troops from the direction of Vladivostock, to create a diversion in the rear of General Kuropatkin's forces.

Liaoyang, Aug. 6.—(Delayed in transmission)—General Kuropatkin is ready to defeat the Japanese plan for cutting off Liaoyang, The Japanese forces are divided into three groups, the first at Simouncheng, Haicheng and New

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A reliable Chinese merchant declares this column includes 10,000 Chinese, Japanese subjects, from the island of Formosa. This most unwelcome development may induce other Chinese to join the Japanese. It is hard to tell a Formosan from a Maneaurian.

Anshanshan, half-way between Haicheng and Liaoyang, Manchuria, Aug. 6.—(Delayed in transmission)—A cavalry reconnaisance in force along the whole front August 5th in the direction of New Chiwang, resulted in the capture of four armed Chinese to Japanese rifie.

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Cloversville, N. Y., Aug. 9.—Canada lake, a nearby summer resort, was the scene of another sad drowning accident this afternoon when a boat containing Raymond Scule, of this city, and Wm. Furbeck, of St. Johnsville, was capsized and both lost their lives. The bodies were recovered. Young Soule was the sou of Harry Soule, a prominent business man of this city, and Furbeck was a member of the class of 1907 of Union College.

TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION

St. Louis, Aug. 9.—The second days' session of the International Typographical Union convened today in convention hall. The report of the committee on hall. The report of the committee on laws was given out. The most important article on which the convention acted was that providing that in cities in which a German union exists no members of the International Typographical Union shall be employed on German or English work at any other scale than that demanded by the International maion.

NEW WESTMINSTER NOTES.

Complaint About Slaughter Houses ew Electric Light By-Law.

New Electric Light By-Law.

New Westminster, Aug. 9.—At the weekly meeting of the city council last evening Ald. Holmes, chairman of the health committee, presented a written report from the medical health officer dealing with the condition of the two slaughterhouses which are within the city limits, and which were complained of as nuisances. The health officer's remarks fully bore out the complaint and in the case of one of these buildings he said that it was; possible to smell it several hundred yards away. He recommended that, for the public good, the places be closed and the buildings immediately destroyed. The health committee will report on the matter.

The electric light regulation bylaw was last night put through the council up to the last stage. It will not finally be ordered to be signed, sealed and published till judgment is handed down by Mr. Justice Duff in the case of Watts vs. the city of New Westminster, as the result of this suit may materially change some important passages in the bylaw. One clause in the bylaw reduces the minimum charge for light from \$1.40.50 cents. The general trend of this new law will be in favor of the small light consumers as well as the larger ones.

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This morning Mayor Keary, the aldermen, the foreman of the board of works; Mr. F. R. Glever, local manager of the B. C. E. R.; Mr. F. Polliot, one the bridge construction manager for the V. W. & Y., and Engineers Selzer and Moss to the bridge construction, all went out to Sapperton to view the site of the proposed moving of the tram track. The V. W. & Y., in taking up their position, force the tram company farther over the road and the city thereby lose some ground. The whole matter was talked over on the spot and it was decided that the stakes, as run, seven feet closer in, be left as they are, and that the tram company be given two detections of the transport of the condition that they plank their track at this point. This proviso is made since two feet taken off the roadway at the curve makes a great difference, and it may be necessary at times for teams to run over the tram track to pass. This two feet gives the B. C. B. R. a practically straight run along that part of Columbia street. The city is negotiating for a strip of the Coulhard property, and if this is secured a corner which has been a public gresore for many a year will be greatly improved.

Don't Leave Victoria Without Seeing the Naval Station at Esquimalt, Beacon Hill Park and the Magnificent Scenery at Oak Bay. Cars run to all These Points.

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A. T. Goward, Manager.

Yates St.

# Estimate of Salmon Pack

Total For ProvinceWill Likely Be Less Than Quarter Million Cases.

Interesting Statistics as to the Season's Work at the

From Our Own Correspondent Vancouver, Aug. 9.—William Murray of the timber inspector's department, returned from the northern canneries by the steamer Danube this morning. He brings interesting statistics of the northern pack.

The Rivers inlet pack is all up and aggregates 93,490.

The Skeena river pack and the put-up of other northern waters are approximated. As Mr. Murray called on all the canneries in connection with government matters his estimate is no doubt a very good one.

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On the Fraser Monday night the run averaged 70 to the boat. The pack on the Fraser to date is 31,500. Word comes from the Sound that the run is about over there. One of the steamers arrived at the Fraser yesterday with the announcement that 2,000 ish had bene taken out of one of the traps at Sooke, and there was about 8,000 in the other, but it was not lifted as fish were still running in.

still running in.

The following is the pack estimated by Mr. Murray:

Skeens River-		Cas
Claxton		
Standard, not packing		
Carlisle	6,500	
Cunningham		
A. B. C		
Skeena River Packing Co	7,000	
Balmorel	14,000	
Cassiar	5,000	
Aberdeen, not macking		
Cassiar	5,000	
Inverness	11,500	
Oceanic	16,500	
	See Section	107

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SATOLLI FOR ROME.

New York, Aug. 9.—Cardinal Satolli will sail for Rome tomorrow on the Sardegoa, after a visit of eight weeks in America. His trip included nearly all the large cities and while he was on no special mission he said today that he was greatly pleased with his reception everywhere.

### **PROGRESS AT TOWN** OF LADYSMITH

Council Grappling With Various Civic Problems in Businesslike Fashion.

Ladysmith, Aug. 9.—The ninth regular meeting or the Ladysmith city council was held last evening in the Checker Club rooms, the Mayor, Mr. John W. Coburn, presiding. Aldermen Kenney, Beverages, Nicholson, Matheson and Blair were also present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and configured. Superal agequats were registed. Consult 164.00

A Ghastly Telc.

Pueblo, Colo, Are. 2-Late model of the street of the

than en route for Port Arthur early yesterday morning.

The Princess May called in this morning for coal and left again for Vancouver on her way north.

The Tellus arrived yesterday after-uoon and will sail sometime today after-completing loading her cargo of coal.

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**Great Rush** To Tanana

Four to Five Thousand Will Spend Winter in New Mining Camp.

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KLONDIKE NEEDS MEN.

Stampede to Tanana Leaves a Shortage of Labor in Dawson, T. T., Aug. 9.—A shortage of men exists in the Klondike, and since the drain made by the Tanana stampede there has been a demand on all creeks for labor. Never since '97 has there been such a demand for labor. As many as domen are advertised for on single claims, and wages have advanced from \$4 and board to \$5.50 and board for ordinary niners. Fears are entertained that there are not enough men to carry on winter operations.

George Mich, discoverer of the rich ground on the island opposite Eagle City, has been sentenced to two years imprisonment for stealing a horse. He would have been wealthy before spring if he could kave kept out of fall.

Mining on all creeks is under way to the fullest capacity. Every claim on Domin or creek is running with full crews day and night.

Dawson's horticultural, agricultural and last a week.

Monday, August 1, the Dawson Dally News celebrated its fifth anniversary. Ever starting it has been an opposition paper and has had a larger dredulation than all other papers sembled.

PROGRESS AT TOWN

streets are similar to those of 1898 in Dawson. The work on the creeks will begin with increased activity as soon as snow flies and it is possible to haul machinery to the creeks. Fairbanks is levying a poll tax of \$5 a head to build a road to Golden, the creek center, twelve miles out of town.

Freight is being refused by the Monarch for the present trip to Fairbanks. All space on the boat has been engaged, and much more freight offered than can be carried.

The Monarch people expect to make one or two more trips after this. The time to go from Dawson to Chena or Fairbanks and back is fiften days. Added to that are five days for stops at both ends, making a total of twenty days for a round trip. On this basis it will be August 20th by the time the steamer gets back to Dawson again.

Another trip would make it Sentember 10th by the time the boat got back.

spatch from Viceroy Alexier, dated at Mukden Ang. 7th:

"Telegrams received today from Port Arthur and from the commander of the squadron state that the cruisers Bayan, Askold, Palada and Novik and some gunboats steamed out of the harbor on July 26th for the purpose of bombarding the enemy's positions. They were attacked by the Japanese battleship Chinien, the protected cruisers Chiyoda, Itsukushima and Matsushima and two second-class cruisers with thirty torpedo boats.

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"An eight-inch shell from the Bayan burst in the stern of the Itsukushima, placing that sup out of action. There upon all the Japanese ships steered for the open sea and at the same time the Chiyoda was shaking by the head she steered towards Talien bay. A shot from Battery 22 also dam aged a Japanese gunboat.

"On July 27th, in view of the Japanese having taken the general offensive against our land positions, the Bayan the battleship Retvizan, the Paiada, Askold and Novik, the coast defence vessels Greminshchi, the Otyashin, the gunboat Klilak and twelve torpedo boats were ordered to support our right flank at the demand of Lieut-General Stossel.

"Our ships preceded by mine dredgers stemmed toward Lungeritan, from were they bombarded the Japanese was found until 3 p. m. On their return a pripe explicitly of the dredgers."

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BUSH FIRE. . Valuable Timber Being Destroyed Along the Gorge.

distracted attention yesterda, a serious bush fire was in progress in the times stretching from the Cruigflower bridge to the Gorge. Chinamen have been at work in that section lately felling timber and incidentally making little fires which evidently have got out of their control.

Some anxiety is expression.

ne unxiety is expressed by citizen Gold Dust Now the Common

Medium of
Exchange.

Some anxiety is expressed by citizens who have observed this fire lest the beauty of the Gorge spoilt by the destruction of the timber along the water and they hope some effort will be made to stop the spread of the flames.

PERRY AT TORONTO.

Accorded an Enthusiastic Reception at His Old Home.

Toronto, Aug. 9.—Private Perry of Vancouver, winner of the King's prize at Bisley, was accorded an enthusiastic reception here tonight. When the train from Montreal reached the Union depot at 7:30, Private Perry was greeted by Colonel Otter, and several of the officers of the Garrison, Acting Mayor Ward and members of the city council, and escorted to the fort where the various refunction and immense crowd of peoplers are waiting on his appearance.

Type was greeted with loud cheers. Here was mounted on a chair on a guidant of the city was dead on the council of F Company, Royal Grenadiers, of which he was formerly a member.

### FRUIT CROP REPORT FOR JULY

Apples Light to Medium. Export Trade Limited. Cherries Full Crop.

A very full return for July has been obtained by the fruit division, Ottawa, with reference to the fruit crop of the Dominion. APPLES.

Dominion.

APPLES.

Dividing the apple crop into fall and winter varieties, the reports show a medium to full crop of the former. In the apple sections, from which the bulk of the winter fruit will be obtained for export, the crop is not as large as last year, but may be classed as light to medium. A very clear distinction must be made between fall apples and good storing stock. The reports from Great Britain and Europe generally show a very large crop of fruit that will come into direct competition with our fall varieties and may slightly affect the market for winter fruit; but up to the present time European fruit has not competed seriously with our best keeping varieties. The apple crop in Canada appears to be singularly free this year from the attacks of insects and fungous disenses. It is quite probable that the codling moth will not be a serious pest, but there are indications that the spot may yet deevelop to a slight, if not a serious, degree.

PEARS. Pears, except in British Columbia, will be a light crop. There will be very few for export, but the quality of those will be good.

PEACHES AND PLUMS.

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Peaches and plums are almost an absolute failure. There are, however, a few favored sections where the winter did not materially affect these two fruits, and in such orchards the crop will be medium. The grape crop will be fairly good, but in the large producing districts of the Niagara Peninsula black rot has shown to a serious extent, and it is impossible to predict the extent to which the crop will be curtailed by this pest.

SMALL FRUITS. Strawberries have been very uneven, where they were not winter killed the crop has been good, but the winter killing was so general that the yield has been a small

Raspberries also were a light crop. CHERRIES.

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Cherries in British Cofumbla have been a full crop, but a light crop throughout Ontarlo. In the rest of Canada, wherever grown, they have been light to medium.

Black currants are a full crop. Red currants not quite so good, but still a large crop.

INSECTS AND FUNGI.

OTHER COUNTRIES OTHER COUNTRIES.

The reports from the United States, particularly those portions that compete with Canada, indicate a large but not an extraordinary crop of fruit. The Indications in England, France, Germany, Holland and Helgium point to a crop somewhat

above the average

GENERAL COMMENT.

The export trade for Canadian and American fall apples will be somewhat restricted, but owing to the better quality of our apples they will still have the preference in the European markets. There will be the necessity, however, of rigidly excluding all second quality fruit. Fall fruit of first-class quality will in all probability bring a fair price, but it is almost certain that second quality fruit will not bring much, if anything, over the cost of marketing. The supply of a good winter stock of apples suitable for the British market during the months of January, February and March is not excessive, and it seems reasonable to expect that the demand will be almost equal to that of last year.

SELECTION OF STRAWBERRY PLANTS GENERAL COMMENT. SELECTION OF STRAWBERRY PLANTS
A striking Illustration of the value of
plant and seed selection, as advocated by
Prof. Robertson, is reported in the Maritime Farmer of July 10, by a New Brunswick correspondent. He says: "A few
days ago while visiting a neighbor, the
conversation turned to berries, and he
then showed me his patch. It was small,
but they were plants to be proud of. Ills
plan is as follows: He tells his children,
when they are picking, to carry along
some little sticks, pieces of laths, and
when they find an extra strong plant with
a good fruit stein and plenty of berries, to
put a stick down alongside it. After the
berries are picked he takes up these plants
and sets them out in a bed, letting them
throw out runners in all directions. In
the spring he has some fine plants to set,
and his berries are improving every year."

The seeds of the Para rubber tree yield

The seeds of the Para rubber tree yield an oil which has properties similar to those of linseed oil.

Prince Eite!, the Kniser's second son, recently accomplished the feat of swimming the Rhine just above Bonn.

# A must Desperate With Itching Skin

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Mr. Wm. Castle, Eagle Hill, Alta., writes: "About November 1, 1903, I broke out with small red blotches on my arms, and they afterwards spread all over my body. It was so itchy that I could not sleep at nights for scratching. I suffered untold misery, and was almost driven to desperation. I tried everything at hand, and my friends recommended numerous remedies, all to no avail.

Closing Hours Of the Session

Prorogation of Senate and Commons to Occur This Afternoon.

Borden Scores Prefontaine For Having Favored His Friends Too Much.

Ottawa, Aug. 10.—The Senate sat un-til after 10 o'clock, and the House by sticking close to business until daylight this morning had cleared off the ses-

sticking close to business until daylight this morning had cleared off the sessional programme so that prorogation's expected this (Wednesday) afternoon. The Senate made several verbal amendments to the railitia bill.

In the Commons the chief item of interest was Mr. Borden's scoring of Hon. Mr. Prefontaine for the exclusive lease to his friend Markey of Montreal, of the waters between Lake Winnipeg and Hudson buy; also of Great Slave Lake for commercial privileges for \$10 a year for twerfty-one years. Markey, of course, sold out to the British-American Fishing Company. Mr. Prefontained only defense was that the company will have to spend \$50,000 to \$100,000 in exploring and developing the fisheries.

Dr. Haanel, superintendent of mines, and Prof. Barlow of the geological survey staff, leave on Saturday to attend the annual convention of the American Mining Congress at Portland, Oregon.

The government has decided to establish a couple of reduction works for dog fish in the Maritime Provinces.

R. G. Macpherson, member for Burrard, has secured Hon. S. Fisher's consent to establish a government chicken fattening station at Vapcouver for illustrative purposes.

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It is understood R. G. Macpherson has obtained an order for the release of Louis Middle, who was confined in Westminster penitentiary. EXPENDITURES IN EGYPT.

An interesting and Bulky Billedook Issued by Eritish Foreign Office.

London, Aug. 9.—An interesting and bulky bluebook was issued by the foreign office this evening. It contains the report of Sir William Garstin, under secretary for public works in Egypt, upon the basis of the Upper Nile, and a despatch from Lord Cromer, the British minister and consul-general in Egypt, which says the irrigation and railroad schemes suggested by Sir William Garstin represent an estimated expenditure of about \$107,000,000, of which about \$65,000,000 will be used in the development of the Soudan and about \$40,000,000 of the Koudan and shout \$40,000,000 of the William Garstin for the Soudan and shout \$40,000,000 in the development of Egypt. The whole irrigation plan is based broadly ou utilizing the White Nile for the benefit of the Soudan.

Lord Cromer says that the carrying out of the greater portion of the programme may be postponed for the present, but about \$27,000,000 should be utilized at an early date in canals for Egypt in raising the Assouan dam, in the completion of the Suakim-Berber railroad and in other developments of the country which will largely increase the revenues from taxes.

Professor Charles L. Norton of the Mas-

Professor Charles L. Norton of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, says that a great deal more care should be taken in protecting steel work and wrought Iron work from corrosion. Concrete is a far better safeguard than stone or terra cotta against fire, he says. The Boston skyscrapers are viewed with suspicion by Professor Norton.

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The Seawanhaka Cup.

Montreal, Aug. S.—This afternoon on Lake St. Louis No-orna captured the third race for the Seawanhaka cup, and the series now stands two to one in favor of the defender. The course was two miles to windward and return, three times, and the race was sailed in a 15-knot breeze. The Yankes led by ten seconds at the start, but was passed after three hundred yards had been covered. From this until the finish the defender showed her stern to the hallenger and crossed the line 3 minutes and 45 seconds in advance.

White Bear lost on every cut but must be mained 26 seconds.

In Williams and Capt. Wright beat F. G. Crickmay and W. F. Dickson, 7-5, 6-2.

Mixed Doubles, Open.

J. B. Farquhar and Miss Hobson beat A. Martin and Miss Maitland-Dougall, 6-3, 75.

Ladies' Singles, Open.

Miss King beat Miss Paschall 7-5, 6-1.

Men's Singles. Handicap.

J. B. Farquhar, owe ½ 30, beat T. D. Showed to best advantage in the race. She stod up well and pointed much ligher than the challenger. Just after rossing the finish line the No-orna metwith an accident which would have ost the race had it happened earlier. The gear for hoisting the mainsail gave vay and the sail came tumbling on he deck.

Official time—Start, 1:50. First ound—No-orna, 2:25:42; White Bear, 2:32:31. Second round—No-orna, 2:50:12; White Bear, 3:35:52. Third round—No-orna, 3:31:7; White Bear, 3:35:52. Third round—No-orna, 3:31:7; White Bear, 3:35:52. Third round—No-orna, 1:41:07; White Bear, 3:45:52. Now It Is Level.

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istance, but the wind was too light
nd the course was shortened by onealf. The Valdora, getting a slant of
rind, awon on time allowance.

Lost on the Handicap. Lost on the Handicap.
Utica, N. Y., Aug. 9.—Jim Barr, the English wrestler, lost a handicap wrestling match to Geo. L. Barber, of this city, at Utica Park this afternoon. The style was catch-as-catch-can and under the articles Barr was to throw Barber twice within forty minutes of actual wrestling. Barr gained a fall in 16 minutes 30 seconds with an arm and shoulder hold, but was unable to secure another fall within the time limit and the decision went to Barber.

### LAWN TENNIS.

the Donerty prothers, or England, Whiteford their holdings of the American titles next week at Newport. H. L. Doherty and F. G. Doherty are on board Eugene Higgins' yacht and are expected to arrive in New York the last of this week. They will defend the American national doubles' title on Angust 15th, and H. L. Doherty will defend the singles on August 24th.

Northwest Championship.

Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 9.—Reuben C. Huat, of the University of Michigan, and of California, today won the tennis championship of the Northwest from the former holder of the title, Harry L. Waidner, of Chicago, 4-6, 7-5, 6-4, 6-2.

Vancouver Tournament.

The annual open tournament of the Vancouver Tennis Club was commenced Monday at the Denman street grounds, under most favorable auspices. The weather was all that could be desired, and the attendance was good, while the number of entries is large and includes many of the leading players of the Pacitic Const. Seattle is especially well represented and has sent a strong contingent of expert players. pert players, e results of the games played on Monday were as follows:

Men's Single, Open.

S. L. Russell beat N. Paschall, 6-0

6-3. W. F. Dickson beat F. L. Beecher

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Contracted Chronic Diarrhoea While in the Philippines.

"While with the U. S. Army in the Philippines, I contracted chronic diarrhoea. I suffered severely from this terrible disease for over three years and tried the prescriptions of numerous physicians, but found nothing that did me any good until I tried Chamberlain's Colle, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, two small bottles of which entirely cure dme and I have since had no return of the disease."—Herman Stein, 212 N. Union Ave., Pueblo, Colorado. This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

Tame Duck-shooting Is Good at Cowiehan

Last week a party camped out at Bear lake, a small sheet of water connected with Cowichan lake on the south. The last day of their stay a young man with two ladies rowed down the lake in their boat towards Green's hotel on the river bank, and in order to protect themselves against any stray monsters of the deep, the young man and one of the ladies took bank, and in order to protect themselves against any stray monsters of the deep, the young man and one of the ladies took the precaution of taking with them a shotgun aplece, and a supply of ammunition. Whether they used their weapons or not will be decided by the proper magisterial authorities, but at any rate Mr. Green hearing six gun reports in rapid succession, followed by a considerable disturbance amonest his flock of tame ducks, walked out to the river. There he met the young man with the gun in his hand, but in reply to his inquiries, the sportsman denied emphatically that he had used his weapon. His companions corroborated his statements, adding they, too, had heard the reports of the shots and supposed that Indians had been shooting the rapids. As Mr. Green could find no one within half a mile of the spot, and, further, as his Chiaman next day found five tame ducks full of shot holes hidden in the bushes on the bank, Mr. Green has considerable doubt as to the truth of their statements, and he has decided to give them and their lady companion an opportunity of verifying them on oath before the police magistrate at Duneans. The authorities at Duneans have received information that during the stay, of this party at Bear lake the surrounding woods frequently resounded with gun reports, and as they brought down no bear skins, the provincial constable for the district will make an exhaustive inspection of their camp and its surroundings, and if anything in the shape of a gousse feather is discovered, further charges will be preferred under the game act, In the mentime hotel proprietors at Cowichan lake have had large placards printed with an inscription: "We are tame ducks. Please do not shoot," with which they intend to decorate their waterfowl.

The Bicycle,—Clare Woodward was vestorday morning fined 83 and easts

The Bicycle.—Clare Woodward was yesterday morning fined \$3 and costs by Police Magistrate Hall on a charge of riding her bicycle on the sidewalk, contrary to the bylaw. And there are

others.

Chalk, Phillip.—One of the most regular occupants of the Police court dock is Philip Chalk, and his offence is invariably drunkenness. Another care of drink was Chalked down to Phillip yesterday morning, cost \$6, including carriage to the police station. And the amount was paid.

The number of negro, Indian and Mongollan children under ave years of age to the United States was 750 in 1880 and 585 in 1900, showing a decrease of 174 in twenty years. The number in 1880 was 173 greater, and in 1900 seventy-seven greater than the corresponding number for the whites.

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H. M. Barclay, Wilnipeg; J. H. Blockley, Nanaimo; F. Wilson, Victoria; Chas. Junian, Vancouver, and Wm. Lamb, Ottawa, are guests at the Hotel Victoria.

James D. Miller of the Gazette, Forres, Scotland, was in town yesterday on a visit, having arrived from the East Sunday evening. Mr. Miller left by the Princess Victoria en route to Tacoma on a visit to his sister, Mrs Fraser, wife of the late J. Fraser, who some years ago occupied a position in the Bank of British Columbia at this city. Mr. Miller has visited the Coast on a vacation trip, having started out on his voyage on the 15th of last month.

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MR. DOOLEY RESUMES.

After a post-nuptial silence of over a year, F. Peter Dunne has begun another scries of "Dooley" articles (copyrighted by McClue, Phillips & Co.), to be published in leading Sunday paptres of the country. In the first, Mr. Dooley communes with Hennessy about the Democratic convention at St. Louis in the Well," said Mr. Hennessy, "th' "Well," said Mr. Hennessy, "th' "Well," said Mr. Dooley. "As Hegan says, th' Dimmycratic convintion labored and brought forth a muss. Th' Raypublican convintion labored and platform, nommynate a cold-storage Vice Prisidint, give three espicially prepared cheers, and wint home. Th' convintion's mind was all made up fr it befure it met. They was a little too much make-up, but who cares fr that? Not so't h' Dimmycratic mind. That's a good, plain, unvarnished, freckled mind that is niver made up. Not that us Dimmycrats haven't policies, what was falled with a good, plain, unvarnished, freckled mind that is niver made up. Not that us Dimmyerats haven't policies, of policies have faded, or punctured a tire, or broke a mainspring, or been run over the analyse of the best possible described in the title of policies have faded, or punctured

or broke a mainspring, or been run over be a band-wagon. I often go up an' fondle me oi' policies an' think iv th' days whin we thought free thrade was so becomin', an' th' income tax an' th' silver question. I've laid thim away in lavender, Hinnissy. 'Tis are good bein' onfash'nable, on'y sometimes I object to th' party wearin' th' cast off duds iv th' Itaypublicans. Rather thin that I'd see it go naked iv policies entirely f'r awhile, an' thin make itsilf a suit of clothes that bore no tailor's tag.

"But, as I tol' ye, a Dimmycrat has plinty iv principle that he'll fight f'r, on'y they niver get into a Dimmycrat has platform. A Dimmycrat is a free an' indepindent citizen who thinks I'r himself—wrong. A Raypublican is a rich an' humble vassal who gets others to think f'r him—right. Ye cud hold a Raypublican Naytional Convintion in a clothes closet, but ye cudden't r-run an orderly Dimmycratic conviction in a forty-nere lot. There's a thousan' real hot convintions inside iv ivry Dimmycratic convintion. Ivry man has some principle that he'd lay down somebody clse's life. That's why we niver get a satisfactory platform. There isn't a platform in th' wurruld wide enough.''r two good Dimmycrats to stand on without crowdin'. So afther we've has a sitisfactory platform. There isn't a splatform in th' wurruld wide enough.''r two good Dimmycrats to stand on without crowdin'. So afther we've has a statisfactory platform. There isn't a stiff the platform in th' wurruld wide enough.''r two good Dimmycrats to stand on without crowdin'. So afther we've have a stand and absolute us a certain to question the dealer of the late which preceded it. He was attached to arrange the Alabama treaty, and was secretary to queen victoria's claim commission declarin' that th' Raypublican platform is all wone an' go out any of the late of London being present at the ceremony. She received a substantial standard the clear-cut, reflaced

does. But a man who has held office a long time is a Raypublican, annyhow. "So, me boy, th' Diamycratic convintion was sthrongly to me taste. Through the arise merrymint fr'm th' dhrop iv th' hat. Bands playin', women screamin', fists flyin', lots of candydates, thousands iv platforms. Candydates, says 17. Sure, ye'd think fr'm th' spirit iv th' thing that all th' man that got th' nommynation needed to do was to telly spraft to th' White House to have th' ONCE A HOMELESS WAIF.

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were "Father, dear," and "Mother, dear,"
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### YESTERDAY'S FIRE.

Victoria was yesterday visited by on of the most severe conflagrations in her history. A fire, starting at about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, in the residential district lying north and east of Government and Douglas streets. The high wind prevailing at the time rendered the task of subduing the flames a most arduous one, and to this difficulty was added an unfortunate deficiency in the water supply, on the upper levels, again emphasizing the oftrepeated assertion that a sufficient supcity to cope with a really serious conflagration. The loss, while considerable, is much less than it very well might have been; the direction of the principally occupied by small dwelling houses, and the fire's progress being brought to a stop by Finlaison's fields and the open country lying beyond Blanchard street. Had the wind been in a different direction, Victoria might have been face to face with as great a calamity as overtook New Westminster six years ago.

The fire brigade worked well and efficiently under very hampering conditions, and were ably reinforced by strong and most welcome contingents from Work Point barracks and the Navy, both branches of the service rendering invaluable assistance, both in the salvage of household effects and in checking the spread of the flames.

## CONTROL OF THE GRANBY COM-PANY.

Rumors of misunderstandings between & Power Company, and Mr. Jay P.
Graves, Vice-President and General recent months, have been definitely con-Spokane special correspondent of the New York "Engineering and Mining Journal," who about three weeks ago wrote that journal as follows:

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"My. Asp P. Graves, Manager of the dary direct or Birthia Collands, delined the Property of cerous microphal and property of the Collands, delined the Property of cerous microphal and the Property of the Prope

that last fall a very large block of stock was sold in New York. A reference to the list of directors shows that the majority are Americans and there is no reason to doubt, in the light of recent developments, that the control is in their hands. This fact occasions no concern locally, its chief significance consisting in its relation to a series of incidents which clearly demonstrate the progress of Mr. J. J. Hill's scheme for securing a substantial share of the transportation business of Southern British Columbia. We have referred clsewhere to his activity in the Fernic district, and it is surely not insignificant that the recent extensive changes at Granby should synchronize with the commencement of Mr. Hill's railway extension from Grand Forks to Phoenix and with the amalgamation of the Brooklyn, Stemwinder, Atheistan and Boston & Montreal groups involving the tension from Grand Forks to Phoenix and with the amalgamation of the Brooklyn, Stemwinder, Athelstan and Boston & Montreal groups involving the construction of a line from Curlew to Midway. Truly Mr., Hill is a sagacious and far-seeing schemer. His plans seem to be little understood even by those most directly concerned, and it is only when another link is forged that the on-looker gets a glimpse of the chain which is being constructed to ultimately complete a network of communication throughout the Kootenays. That this policy will accrue to the advantage of the Cranby smelter we can not doubt, since the only result must be to establish effective competition in the transportation of the ore and very sensibly to reduce the freight charges."

It seems to us that it matters very little whether Mr. Hill now controls the

little whether Mr. Hill now controls the Granby Company or whether the enter prising capitalists of the Eastern Town ships, Quebec, whom Mr. Jay P. Graves five or six years ago succeeded in inter esting in properties now owned by the consolidated company still retain con-The consideration of special im portance to the Boundary district in parthat this company, whose operations premises of the Albion Iron Works, have now assumed proportions of conspand with great rapidity through the ore in the Province, which, of course Columbia, but also smelts and converts into a marketable product the products of the largest copper mines in Canada In this regard the district and Province are better off than in the case of the Le Roi mine, at Rossland, which sends all the product of its big mine to the United States for reduction, to the detriment of the best interests of the Trail ply of water is not brought into the Creek district in which the mine is situated. But while we congratulate resi dents in the Boundary that their largest mine, even it be true that it is controlled by Americans, does not follow the lead of the British-owned big Rosswind confining the flames to an area land mine, we cannot refrain from point view is not correctly informed in some particulars of the question it discussed as above. So far as we know, Mr. A. C. Flumerfelt remains assistant to the President of the Granby Company; Mr. W. Yolen Williams, who retired from active management on account of actual ill-health, is retained by the Granby Company in the capacity of consulting engineer and has his office in Spokane where he can better be in close touch with the General Manager, Mr. Jay P. Graves; and from our own observation General Manager all along, whether Canadian or American capitalists held a majority of the stock in the Company. The "Mining Review" is still further astray when it states that the amalgamation of the Montreal & Boston and other Boundary mining properties involved the construction of

ar Hill railway "from Curlew to Midway" which branch, excepting for a few hundred yards, will be entirely in the United States, but that is a matter Mr. S. H. C. Miner, President of the not connected with the Granby Com-Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting pany's affairs. We just remark, in conbeen a bad thing for the Boundary, as Manager, which had been rife during the towns of Greenwood, Phoenix and Grand Forks show, these having detradected by the latter, according to the rived much of their business since railway construction days from the entirely American B. C. Copper Company, owning the Mother Lode mine and the smelter at Greenwood, and from the

the new transcontinental railway is the greatest devilopment undertaking ever launched in the history of the world. They know it means the broadening of Canada, the peopling of millions up2n millions of acres of valuable territory, the speedy expansion of the Dominion to the stature of a nation, in point of population, business and wealth. And they know that as the Dominion expands in importance, the Pacific coast must progress, for it is in this direction that the stream of progress will flow. Not only is the National Transcontinental Railway—to give it its full legal title, a great thing for British Columbia, because it secures the fruition of our most ardent hopes for Provincial development, but it is a great thing for Canada, as the years to come will abundantly testify."

This is what in politics is now vul-

garly designated as "hot air." very beautiful in theory; but, to adopt it is not war. We have had many enterprises with such bases of inflation and nothing but words to support them. Half of the bonuses in Canada that have been given away to promoters have been filched out of the pockets of the people by such rainbow effects. Let us get down from the clouds to com-mon earth and consider the proposal sc far as British Columbia is concerned from a business point of view.

Up to the present we have not con

sidered the Grand Trunk Pacific as a national concern and have not been dis-cussing its merits as such. We have been considering our business relations to it as compared with the business relations of other parts of Canada. In that respect it has been shown that we are, to borrow a railway simile, like the passengers on an observation car. We are getting the benefits of the scenery the others are realizing the more material comforts of the buffet car.

In respect to the benefits of construc

tion we realize none. We shall be in the position of the hungry passer-by inhales the aroma of the roast beef and feasts visionally on the sweetmeats without being permitted to enter the restaurant. As to cost, let it be not forgotten

that Canada pays ten years' interest on the cost of construction, of which the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway is relieved. The people of British Columbia pay to that in the proportion of three to one compared with the rest of Canada. If the interest amounts to \$20,000,000 in ten years, British Columbia will pay \$2,500,000 of it.

Every settler that is brought into

the Northern Interior as a result will for administration at the rate of \$12.50 each per annum. That is the experience of British Columbia in the past. The result of development, owing to difficulty of overcoming physical ob stacles, is that this Province pays for them and the Dominion reaps the

# INTERNATIONAL COAL AND COKE COMPANY.

A despatch sent out from Spokan last month states that "O. G. Laberce, who has been suing the International Conl & Coke Co., Daniel Shultz, Paul K. Paulson and others for 225,000 shares of stock in the International Coal & Coke Co., at Coleman, Alta., has compromised for 175,000 shares and has withdrawn his suit. It has been a celebrated case here. shown that Albert C. Flumerfelt, representing S. H. C. Miner, of Granby copper fame, bought a block of 1,400,000 shares of stock for \$120,000, which was used in developing the property. Later he bought 120,000 shares of stock, which gave him control of the company, which erfelt received the money to put the deal through from Mr. Miner and subsequently turned over to the latter all but 100,000 shares, which he retained for his interest." It is satisfactory to find the company thus relieved from the embarrassing effects of further litiga-

Wednesday, August 10, 1859.

Gold Exports.—Wells, Fargo & Co. shipped by the last trip of the Northerner and Forwood to San Francisco \$10,419; Free man & Co., \$0,008; the two expresses sent by Pacific, \$47,150. This wend anake the amount of gold exported, as far as positively known, for the month \$125,577.

We may safely add for private hands sufficient to make if reach \$150,000. Allowing there are 2,500 miners, the average for each man per day, for a month, would be \$2. This is far more than the average in California. And when we consider that the miners merely spend sufficient dust to pay for provisions, we may safely conclude that the miners merely spend sufficient dust to pay for provisions, we may safely conclude that the miners are yielding remarkably well, and that by the introduction of facilities for travel and conveyance of provisions, so as to render them cheap, that the yield to each man per day will far exceed the averages in California.

WILL SAN JUAN BE OCCUPIED.

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and undignified acts—is to be guilty of treason to our sovereign, our country, and posterity. Webster told us after the disgraceful Ashburton treaty was concluded, by which a large portion of New Brunswick was ceded away, that the United States always doubted their right to it. The same policy now attempts to wrench the key to the Guif of Georgia from our hands, and should ever a British ministry be guilty of the national crime of reliable to the same remark repeated. Shall we permit 12:

The land sale yesterday was extremely dull. Eight hundred and fifty acres in North Saanich was sold at \$1 per acre and purchased by Attorney-General Carey and Capt. Lewis.

St. John Sun.

Mr. Schrelber says-that a new road of the standard of the Canada Eastern would cost \$1,768,000. He computes the depreciation at \$516,220, leaving a balance of \$1,224,780. The government pays \$890,000. One would now like to hear Mr. Glbson's oplnion of the Drummond countles railway deal. Mr. Schrelber calculates that the Drummond road would cost for construction \$1,535,500, and the builders had received \$600,000 in subsidies. For that road the government paid \$1,600,000, less \$50,000 or \$60,000 allowed for work not up to the standard. On the basis of earnings the Drummond road had no value, and on the basis of price for which the road was offered to others, the price paid was more than double the value.

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"ALL THE TALKS."

Pearson's Weekly.

Mr. J. Collier, writing on the subject, says that over 5,000 distinct languages are spoken by mankind. The number of separate dialects is enormous. There are more than sixty vocabularies in Brazil, and in Mexico the Nahua language has broken up into 700 dialects. There are hundreds in Borneo. In Australia there is no classifying the complexities, and generally the number of dialects is inverse proportion to the intellectual culture of the population. Assume that only fifty dialects on an average belong to every language, and we have the colossal total of 250,000 linguistic varieties.

SILVER IN THE FAR EAST.

Manila Bulletin.

China is in the hands of the money changers. The copper cash, the money of the people, cannot be utilized in the dealings of foreigners, and the tael, the cilver unit, rises and falls in value with as much consistency as the price of cotton in the New York stock exchange. Business along the China coast and in the Philippine Islands was demoralized a year ago by the idlosynerasy of silver.

Happily the introduction of the new currency has placed local business in far better condition, and before the year has passed the money evil will be entirely eradicated. The value of the Flilipino peso is fifty cents gold, and every effort made to discredit it by manipulators has ignominated to the control of the property of an expensive banking system. The advantage in the commerce with China, on the other hand, is all in our favor, and the fact that our money is expressed in different terms from those of the continent has not affected the volume of trade.

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Bank Manager pupil 24002: "I find it excellent, so useful for private notes. "I treat it as a pastime."

Pupil 24014, enrolled 21st July, and on 25th—5 days—6 hours a day at the Studio, did 60 words a minute.

Pupil 24021 (Hilch School Boy), enrolled 27th July, and on the 5th August, 7 clear days, passed over 50 words a minute.

Pupil 24014 (says: "Like it very much; only requires a little stekability." (Note—This is a peculiar—phrase, but it is what he said. Testimonials should be copied word for word.)

Pupil 24022 says: "Your shorthand gcis most interesting; now been a pupil 7 days and am in fourth lesson. I like it very much."

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much."
No. 23076, postal pupil at Yukon, writes
"Done 100 words a minute after 14 days
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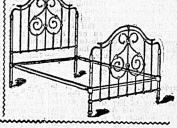
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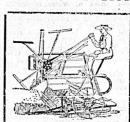
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Local News.

Wilson-Bushby. — On Saturday evening, Rev. LeRoy Daykin, of Emmanuel Baptist church, officiated at the wedding of Mr. Henry M. Wilson, only son of the late Mr. Peter Wilson and Mrs. Wilson, of Edmonton road, and Miss C. M. Bushby, of Buckinghamshire, England. The bride is a sister of Mrs. Simmons, late of the London and Vancouver baceries. Only the near relatives and friends of the contracting parties were present.

Wrestlers Coming.—The steamer Lyra which is due from the Orient today is expected to have on board the party of Japanese wrestlers who are to give a tournament on the Caledonia grounds on Saturday evening and Monday afternoon and evening. On arrival they will parade the streets. The party includes Hachijiu, champion wrestler of Japan, who weighs 320 pounds, and sixteen others weighing from 250 to 300 pounds.

Yukon Gold Output.—More than a third of a million dollars in gold dust is en route from Dawson for Seattle, consigned to the Canadian Bank of Commerce and the Bank of British North America to the United States assay office. With the close of the month of July the returns from the compriolier's oilice show the amount of gold upon which an export tax was paid this year was fully as large as the previous year. August and September are the heaviest export months, and by the best informed the output this summer should exceed that of last season.

Salmon Pack.-Last year

Patent Sheave Block .- H. Gilley, of

Faiett Sheave Block.—H. Gilley, of New Westhminster has received a Cana-dian patent on an improved self-oiling sheave block. This block has been es-pecially designed for use in sustaining the wire rope of a log haul the heavy, long sustained work of which rapidly wears out a sheave of ordinary construc-tion. In Mr. Gilley's block, which is manufactured at the Schaåke Machire

Wireless Telegraphy.—As was forecasted by previous reports in the Colonist work is now actively proceeding in the job of putting up wire telegraphy apparatus on the roof of the Hotel Driard. In about a month Victoria will be in touch with the outside world by this latest wonderful method of communication. The feasibility of sending and receiving wireless messages from the top of the Driard has been tested, and Mr. Yarnell has corresponded with other stations of the system now working, namely, at Port Townsond, Friday Harbor, San Juan, Fort Casey and on the United States cutter Grant. One of the front apartments of the Driard is to be given over to the business. It is to be attractively and comfortably fitted for the purpose. An expert operator of Seattle is to have charge of the office, and when the station has been opened to the public the company will be prepared to accept all kinds of business.

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Basketball.—There will be an adjourned meeting of the No. 5 Co. this (Wednesday) evening at 8 p.m. in the Drill hall, when there will be a basketball practice; also a discussion in reference to the tug-of-war team for the Agricultural Association cup. Beautiful Carved Oak Butter Dishes and FOX'S .... 78 GOV'T. ST

FIRE Contract Awarded,—The fine large residence on Churles street which is to be erected for G. A. Kirk, from plans drawn by Architect F. M. Rattenbury, is to be built by Messrs. Calder & Ma-son, the contract for the same having been awarded yesterday. Now is the time to

Lillooet Bye-election.—The bye-election at Lillooet is now in full swing and prominent politicians of both parties are in the constituency supporting the respective candidates—Archibald McDonald, Conservative, and David A. Stoddart, Liberal. Nominations were field at Clinton on Monday. protect your property

Laid in the Grave.—The funeral of the late William Griffiths took place yesterday afternoon from the parlors of W. J. Hanna. The Rev. W. Baugh Allen conducted the services.

The Bertucci Arbitration.—Mr. Robt. Beaven desires it to be understood that he did not agree with the decision of the other arbitrators, Messrs, E. Crow-Baker and Gavin H. Burns, in awarding N. Bertucci \$11.000 as the value of the two lots on Humboldt street expropriated by the city.

Fuel War Expected.—A fuel war is expected this winter between wood dealers and coal merchants in Dawson. The Coal Creek Mining Company will have 10,000 tons of coal in Dawson at the close of navigation, and the Five Fingers Coal Mining Company will also have a large supply on hand. Coal is now being quoted at \$10 per ton.

Thoto of Monument.—Henry M. Sheppard, jailer at the police station, has received a photograph of the monument erected at Johannesburg over the grave of his stepson, Pte. W. Whitley, who died while serving with the Canadians against the Boers, Pte. Whitley was a member of the Vancouver contingent.

Borne to the Grave.—Yesterday afterneon the funeral of the late Joseph Bays
took place from the pariors of W. J.
Hanna to Christ Church Cathedral, Rev.
W. Baugh Allen conducted the services,
and the following acted as pallbeares:
Messrs, E. McNeilly, A. Brown, W.
Hill, George Gardiner, A. Petch and F.
Dykes, Many floral emblems were presented, and a large number attended.

Mr. Prefontaine's Visit.—A general meeting of the board of trade has been called for tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock to consider matters in connection with the reception and entertainment of Hon. Mr. Prefontaine. It has not been decided yet in what manner the needs of Victoria shall be placed before the minister. It is understood that the principal matter to be brought to his notice is the improvement of the harbor.

Down From Dawson.—After several years' sojourn in the Yukon metropolis, Todd Aikman, son of the late H. W. B. Aikman, is in the city, the having hurried from Dawson on receipt of the sad tidings of his father's death. He is looking well and prosperous, and was yesterday busy renewing acquaintances with his host of friends. He says Dawson is very dull in a business way, freak legislation by the Liberal government having driven many enterprising men from the camp. Mining conditions are, showever, satisfactory, the yield of gold being good and the future of the country assured. Interested in Exhibition.—While in Manitoba Dr. S. P. Tolmie received many enquiries for prize lists of the Victoria Exhibition. He announces that many of those who competed at the Dominion exhibition intend entering here. Among these are J. T. and J. H. Wilkisson and Galbraith Bros., of Brandon. Both are well-known breeders, so that the stock shown at the forthcoming show may be depended upon to be of the very best quality.

To Advertise Klevill.

Salmon Pack.—Lasa year the total pack of the Fraser river to August 6th was 63,948. This year the pack to date is not more than half of the pack for a similar period in 1903. The pack by canneries on the Fraser river is as follows: Atlas, 999; Acne, S18; Phoenix, 1,741; Brunswick, 1,284; Beaver, 303; A. B. C., 1,964; Canadian Pacific, 1,028; Curries, 725; Celtic, 602; Deas Island, 892; Ewen's, 4,287; Gul of Georgia, 1,678; Great Northern, 930; Inclustrial, 734; Pacific Coast, 1,292; Richmond, 631; Scottish Canadian, 1,590; St. Mungo, 1,023; Imperial, 2,518; Star, 1,407; Terra Nova, 1,725; Vancouver, 1,754; Eagle Harbor, 600. To Advertise Klondike,—A scheme to advertise the Klondike throughout the civilized world is proposed by means of a gift to King Edward of a large solid gold nugget. The nugget was found on French gulch, and weights found on French gulch, and weights cighty-five ounces. It is pure gold and contains no quartz. Subscriptions are being taken in Dawson to purchase it. The general opinion is that this large nugget came from some quartz ledge nearby. 1.754; Eagle Harbor, 600.

Facilitate Business. — Shipping and business men generally are looking forward to big benefits resultant from the installation of wireless telegraphy on the steamships frequenting this port. The ships of His Majesty's squadron have all got the necessary paraphernalia, but up till the present have not used it can this station. It has been reported, too, that the Empress liners will be equipped, and that eventually stations will be established down the straits for the benefit of shipping. Up to the present, however, nothing has been done in this direction, though the station now being provided should bring all these things within a closer range of probability.

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B. C. Enterprise.—All visitors to the Winnipeg exhibition are loud in praise of the action of the government in arranging such a successful fruit exhibit. Dr. S. V. Tolmie, who has just returned, says great credit is due R. M. Palmer, freight rates commissioner for British Columbia, who had charge of the exhibit, and W. Brandrith, secretary of the Fruit Growers' Association, his assistant. These gentlemen spared no effort in making the exhibit of the products of this province strikingly attractive.

The Islands' Show.— September 21st is the date of the agricultural show at Ganges Harbor, Salt Spring island, under the auspices of the Islands' Agricultural and Fruit Growers' Association. The premium list, just issued, shows an attractive lot of prizes. The officers of the Association are: Patron, His Honor Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere, Lieut-Governor of British Columbia; president, H. W. Bullock, Ganges Harbor; treasurer, A. Ward, Ganges Harbor; treasurer, A. Ward, Ganges Harbor; treasurer, A. Ward, Ganges Harbor; directors, E. Lee, J. Nightingale, P. Purvis, J. C. Mollet, S. T. Concey, G. E. Akerman, C. W. Cundell, A. G. Crofton and W. McFadden.

Scattle-Sitka Cable—When the way of the story of the base of the story of the work of removing lands with the Native Sons of the workers were then confined in their path at this point, and the efforts of the workers were then confined to the task of preventing the strated that a certain lady named Countess Savara, who was sick in that city, damed that she was the wife of Cart. Max de Henri Joly de Lotbiniere, Lieut. A telegram received from New York stated that a certain lady named Countess Savara, who was sick in that city. Max de Bathe, cans abort time, A telegram received from New York stated that a certain lady named Countess Savara, who was sick in that city. Max de Bathe, cans of Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere, Lieut. A telegram received from New York stated that a certain lady named Countess Savara, who was sick in that city. Max de Bathe, cans of Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere, Lieut. A telegram received from New York stated that a certain lady named Countess Savara, who was sick in that city. Max de Huspan de Grotts of the workers were then confined to the task of preventing the efforts of the workers were then confined to the task of preventing the forton of the flow in the proving from the forton of the task of the forton of the task of preventing the efforts of the workers were thene confined to the task of the forton for the Max de Huspan de Huspan de Husp

Native Sons' Outing.—Tomorrow will be the big day with the Native Sons and their friends at Shawnigan lake, the occasion being the annual enting of the organization. The programme includes a tug-of-war, baseball and cricket matches and swimming races. The vianimo band will bring a large number of excursionists to participate, and an enjoyable day's outing is promised. Both the Fifth Regiment of this city, and the Nanaimo band will be in attendance, the Fifth Regiment band giving a grand concert in the evening. The train service is a very suitable one, trains leaving here at 9 a. m., 2 and 7 p. m., while the fare is only 50 cents for the round trip. dell, A. G. Crofton and W. McFadden.

Seattle-Sitka Cable.—When the new cable between Seattle and Sitka has been completed, which will be very shortly, a new rate for commercial messages will go into effect. A special rate will be made for newspapers, and several publications in Southeastern Alaska have already made arrangements to receive a regular news despatch. Here is the rate for ten-word messages which the United States war department has decided to apply between Seattle and certain principal places in Alaska: From Seattle to Sitka, \$1.50; to Juneau, \$2; to Haines Mission, \$2; to Skagway, \$2; to Valdez, \$2.50; to Fort Liscum, \$2.50; to offices in "Square 1," \$3; to offices in "Square 1," \$3; to offices in "Square 1," \$3; to offices in "Square 1," \$4.

International Thones.—Mr. H. W. Kent, general superintendent of the New Westminster and Burrard Inlet Telephone oCmpany, returned on Sunday from an exhausting and lengthy trip, says the News-Advertiser. The company has for some time past been figuring on the laying of a cable to estimate the company has for some time past been figuring on the laying of a cable to estimate the company has for some time past been figuring on the laying of a cable to estimate the company has for some time past been figuring on the laying of a cable to estimate the company has for some time past been figuring on the laying of a cable to estimate the company has for some time past been figuring on the laying of a cable to estimate the company has for some time past been figuring the company has for some time past been figuring on the laying of the company has for some time past been and the islands in Piget sound. The scene was a curious one. A row of houses with fiercely-blazing out loaded down with furniture of all and two routes in view, one via Plumper's pass and the other route. Every time of the way from Bellincham to Victoria, except the stretches of water, was tramped on foot by Mr. Kent was over the other route. The fill he has made a report to his directions of the content of the conveyance between the various islands was obtained in all sorts of ceraft, from the conveyance between the various islands was obtained in all sorts of ceraft, from the conveyance between the various islands was obtained in all sorts of ceraft, from the conveyance between the various islands was obtained in all sorts of ceraft, from the conveyance between the various islands was obtained in all sorts of ceraft, from the conveyance between to total or the conveyance between the various islands was obtained in all sorts of ceraft, from the conveyance of the conveyance between the various islands was obtained in all sorts of ceraft, from the conveyance of the conveyance between the various islands was obtained in all sorts of ceraft, from the convey

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spread to the houses fronting on Pembroke street. Their work was very much appreciated, and when they left the crowd gave them a great send-off. The men, it may be mentioned, did most of the distance at the "double" and covered the ground in remarkably short time.

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Lawn Tennis.—At 3 o'clock today, on the Belcher street courts, R. B. Powell, Victoria, and B. P. Schwengers, J. B. A. A. will battle for the international championship, when a great game is expected An apology is owing to the J. B. A. A. Lawn Tennis Club, the announcement of the finals of the mixed doubles having been inadvertently omitted.

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### FIREMEN INJURED

serious accident occurred on Pem-e street while the fire of the Work te was at its height. The team at A serious accident occurred on Pembroke street while the fire of the Work estate was at its height. The team attached to the Victoria West fire department wagon, driven by Joe Wachter, became unmanageable and bolted. The horses careered along the street and knocked over several of the crowd who were unable to get out of the way in time. None of these were much hurt, so far as could be learned, but the driver was less fortunate. He was hurled from his seat with considerable violence and dragged along the ground. He was taken to ex-Ald. Baker's house and attended to by Dr. Herman Robertson. The patrol wagon took him homeshortly afterwards. Wachter has both legs broken and is very badly bruised and cut.

Probably the largest individual suffer-er from the fire is Ald. John Kinsman, who lost a number of residences, total-ing in value \$9,000, and none of them were 'nsured. They were all situated in the block bounded by Douglas, Pem-broke, Blanchard street and Queen's avenue.

avenue. Richard Hell, M. P. P., Mr. Kino Richard Hell, M. P. P., Mr. Kinaman's son-in-law, is of the opinion that the loss in the area east of Government street was about \$60,000, partially covered by insurance. In the block bounded by Douglas, Pembroke, Blanchard and Queen's avenue there were probably twenty-two buildings. Mr. Hall figures that about thirty-five buildings all told were destroyed, not figuring in the losses south of Government street.

### WIND AIDED FLAMES

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DRAYMEN WERE BUSY

The draymen and expressmen were the busest people at the fire. It was fortunate that the are started at a time when the horses were hitched up otherwise a great delay would have resulted in getting to the scene. As it was the first alarm brought every available wagon to the work of removing furniture and household goods, and the scene was one of great excitement and activity. There was no lack of willing hands to assist the frantic dwellers in the ill-fated district and hundreds of leading citizens could be seen with their coats of dragging out goods and loading them into wagons, which immediately dashed off either up town or to the Blanchard street and Finlaison fields. Thousands of dollars of household goods were soon piled up at these points and the duties of the police were added to give the property adequate protection. Few thefts were reported, the thieves, if there were any so victimized, being debarred of their prey owing to the prevalence of daylight and the watchful crowds. to the prevalence of daylight and the watchful crowds.

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# Victoria Scene of Distructive Fire

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### TE SUFFERERS

PRINCESS AVENUE. PRINCESS AVENUE.

On the northeast corner of Princess avenue and Douglas street there stood a good-sized house with large barn in rear and good out offices. The buildings were tenanked by Mrs. Lowise Sheppard and Wm. Hutchinson. They were about the first premises to be attacked by the sparks carried from the burning blocks opposite the spice mill on Pembroke street. A desperate attempt was made to save the house, but without effect. The flames spread back to Queen's avenue and up Princess. The buildings were valued at \$2,000, and all that remains of them is the fence which runs on Douglas street.

street.

Around the corner, on Princess verme. (No. 38), was a one-storey cotage 'occupied by John Bennett, which, vith the large barns in the rear, soon isappeared in flames. The premises vere valued at \$1,400 and burned up o quickly that it was with difficulty hat anything was saved. There was reert commotion in the chicken cooplete, many birds emerging from the ards in flames.

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There, many birds emerging from the yards in flames.

The next two houses shared a like fate, They were old buildings and were soon swallowed up. Loss about \$500. But their burning carried the blaze along to No. 48, in which Charles Tite, a paniter, lived. It was a large, one-storey cottage and uninsured.

Andrew Patterson lived in the next cottage, which went up simultaneously. It was a building valued at a few hundred dollars.

John Campbell's cottage came next, and went like the others in the row, in which lived George Hams and a widow named Bennett.

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Richard Cole occupied No. 60 in the row, and had a very narrow call as the fire was now eating up all in its way ravenously. He managed to save some of his household effects.

No. 62 was a two-storey house in which lived William Scott. The premises were, as far as can be learned, uninsured, and a great deal of their contents were destroyed in the hurried removal. The house was valued at \$2,000.

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to Mr. John Kinsman's house which was saved only by reason of the fact that a couple of buildings intervening had been pulled down. This checked the progress of the fire. The firemen had been working for an dour or so under great disadvantage, the water pressure being almost nil, but neverbheless their exertions were not without good effect.

Queen's avenue was attacked from the rear of Princess avenue, about the first house to take the flames being that of ex-Mayor McCandless, No. 9. Once the first house to take the flames being that of ex-Mayor McCandless, No. 9. Once the first house to take the flames being that of ex-Mayor burning embers. No time was lost in getting out as much of the furniture as possible. The house, valued at \$5,000, is a total loss. There was no attempt made to bring any

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The next house was occupied by Mr. Geo. McCandless. It was a two-storey building, valued at \$2,500, and was quickly burned up, the greater portion of the furniture being removed. There was not the furniture was saved. The shouse was valued at \$4,000 and was considered the furniture was saved. The shouse was valued at \$4,000 and considered the furniture was saved. The shouse was valued at \$4,000 and was about to move out yester the furniture. Curiously enough, Mrs. Milne was about to move out yester furniture. Curiously enough, Mrs. Milne was about to move out yester furniture. Curiously enough, Mrs. Milne was about to move out yester furniture. Curiously enough, Mrs. Milne was about to move out yester furniture. Curiously enough, Mrs. Milne was about to move out yester furniture. Was a two-storey house and somewhat solated, being 04 feets was well and the district was well guarded. The house was about to move out yester furniture. The furniture was about to move out yester furniture was about to move out yester furniture. The furniture was about to move out yester furniture was about to move out yester furniture was about to move (By an Outsider.)

Did I see the fire? I should say I did. I was not among the first to reach the seene of what was probably one of the most serious conflagrations Victoria has experienced, but was in time to see the tallest of the Albion Iron Works buildings blazing fiercely, and the lumber yard and works of the Shawnigan Lake Lumber Company apparently doomed. But my attention was quickly attracted by burning houses two or three blocks away, so I hastend to see if I could join a volunteer salvage corps and help to save some of the household belongings of the people whose homes I at once saw could not be saved, since there was no water available to prevent the fire from spreading. It was pitiable to see house after house catching fire, but since there was no means of preventing this, all fifty or more willing helpers could do was to try to save the contents of the houses. As I hurried up the street I saw a sick woman being carried out of one of the threatened houses and placed in a buggy for removal to a place of safety. Later I heard that she had only that morning been confined—if so, her's must indeed have been a trying experience.

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Of course, the customary excited fool was at work—and more than one of his kind—among the many who were bundling household furniture and goods into the streets. One near me seized some curtains and pulled hard—they were torn into tatters, yet he had the satisfaction of having saved them from being burned. Others dumped pictures, and glass and china ornaments, hurriedly down on the roadway, heedless of the wreck they made of them, and rushed off to "save" more things; but in the main men worked sensibly and effectively. For a time they succeeded in keeping separated what had been removed from the respective homes, but when it became evident that everything would most likely take fire if left in the street opposite the houses from which furniture, etc., had been taken, there was nothing for it but to carry all to an open field, 150 to 200 yards away. Then came trouble, for those household belongings were badly mixed. Three hours later I revisited the scene of my late afternoon labors, and by this time nearly everything had been taken away. We meant well, good peeple, and it was our misfortune rather than our fault that we gave you so much trouble to sort up your several belongings afterwards. After all, it was better so than that they should have been left where they were and be destroyed by the fire that burned until everything within reach had been consumed.

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were were exciting scenes when the "regulars" arrived to render such assistance as was in their power. First came the Royal Garrison Artillery men from Work Point; next came the Royal Engineers, and after them the Royal Engineers, and after them the Havas men also from Esquimalt. Chief Watson directed them to make a gap in the track of the fire that was steadily working its way up Princess avenue, and they worked with a will. Assisted by many civilians, two or three houses were razed to the ground, removing immediate danger. By this time the brigade was on the spot with water to extinguish the fire burning the house steams gists.

Pure beer—Schlitz beer—is the best drink in

The malt is a food; the hops a tonic. The alcohol—only 3½ per cent—is an aid to

on the lower side of the gap. Then there was little left to do but for the firemen, to keep the water playing on the burning debris of nearly a score of buildings that had been destroyed by the fire.

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There were so many willing helpers that it would not be practicable to mention them all, even were their names known, but there were several well-dressed young men whose good hearts prompted them to think most of the people in trouble and least of the risk they ran of spoiling the good summer ciothes they wore. Then there were two parsons, if they will forgive the use of the word. One was Rev. J. P. Hicks, who was among the busiest in removing goods from one or more of the cottages destroyed; and another was stated to be a Church of England clergyman, whose name did not transpire.

There were some pathetic scenes

There were some pathetic scenes among the people rendered homeless so suddenly. One good woman confided to me that she could have saved all her nic-macks, but her girls said no, sure that the fire would not reach them, and then the roof of their home burst into flames and everything was confusion. Near her stood her husband, rather stupefied by the shock. Presently both tenderly embraced and kissed a girl of eight or nine years of age, whose cheeks were still wet with tears and who seemed half reluctant to accompany a good friend who had offered to take the child to her home for the night. Old folks and young folks were both to be seen gathering together what they could of their belongings and piling them on express wagons, to be taken to some place of safety for the night, or until new homes could be found. Said one woman, her eyes brimaning with tears: "And only this morning we were all so happy in our home, and now it is gone." Yes, there were many sad hearts among the homeless ones. Yet it is pleasing to reflect that all were provided for and that there was, nor will be, no suffering, such as too often follows fires in big cities and severe climates.

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too often follows fires in blg cities and severe climates.

Looking at the wreck of the Albion Iron Works and the nearby lumber yard, the latter so little damaged in comparison to what might have been expected with such a fiere blaze and high wind, one cannot refrain from paying the firemen a tribute of praise for keeping the destruction within the much paying the great state of the send possible abortly after the fire broke out. They were powerless to prevent the burning of the many houses that were in the track of the stream of burning cinders carried by the wind for several hundreds of yards and dropped on one highly inflammable shingle roof after another. The surprise is, not that a score or more of houses were burned, but that a very much more serious conflagration was averted.

### SOME NOTES

The run of the gallant bluejackets from Esquimalt to the scene of the fire, a distance of five miles, encumbered as they were with axes, choppers and the grappling apparatus, was the best feat of endurance of the day. How many of Victoria's young men, who pride selves on their athletic abilities duplicate this feat.

duplicate this feat.

Mr. Allan S. Ashwell of 70 Princess avenue, who was burned out yesterday, wishes to heartily thank the soldiers and sailors and the friends who assisted him in fighting the flames and enabled him to save his furniture.

Two Chinamen, were appeared and the fighting the flames and enabled him to save his furniture.

Two Chinamen were arrested and taken to the police station for acting in a suspicious manner at the seene of the fire. They were suspected of stealing property and hiding, but as there is no evidence against them they will probably be discharged.

The police have a packet book, which

The police have a pocket book, which was found on Douglas street last night, containing two steamboat tickets. The owner can have the same by calling at the police station.

There were four Chinese laundry 1011ses on Pembroke street, and curiouses y enough they all escaped. Two were intouched by the fire and the others

in their rear being but slightly burned.

One of the most noticeable things in connection with yesterday's big blaze was the intense heat which the strong wind fanned right across the streets. People walking on the opposite side to some of the burning houses could scarcely bear the heat, and caps and hats were held in front of their faces as they dashed past the blazing area.

Capt. Hicks, a resident of James bay, owned three houses, two on Princess avenue and one on Pembroke street. The two former were destroyed but the latter was uninjured.

A HINT TO TRAVELERS.

While in Suffolk, Va., Henry Croll, jr., proprietor of the Beaverton, Mich., Hardware Co., was taken very sick with bowel trouble. A traveling salesman from Saginaw, Mich., advised him to get a bottle of Chamberlain's Colle, Cholera and Diarchea Remedy, which he did. "It soon cured me, and I take pleasure in recommending it," he says. No one should leave home on a journey without a bottle of this remedy. It is almost sure to be needed and is not obtainable while on steamship or cars. For sale by all Druggists.

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Speaking of the maintenance of patrol-ling vessels in northern waters, Sir Wilfrid Laurier recently said:

"The committee, I am sure, has not for "The committee, I am sure, has not forgotten that last year we sent an expedition to explore, patrol and assert the authority of the government of Canada in Hudson's Bay and the northern waters. The object of this expedition was fully explained to the House last year and met with general favor. The view was to assert beyond any possibility of doubt, so as to prevent any future possible conflict, the undoubted authority of the Dominion of Canada in the waters of Hudson's Bay and beyond. The steamer Keptune was chartered last year and sailed from Hallfax. It had on board a representative of the Geological Department, a representative of the Mounted Police. The instructions given to the expedition, which was for the time being under the chief control of Mr. Low, was to explore as far as he could during the season the northern waters and to establish a post somewhere in Hudson's Bay. No definite instructions were given to the spreng would permit, the expedition as to the location of the post. Then, as soon as the breaking of the ice in the spring would permit, the expedition was to go north and explore Baffin Bay and Lancaster Strait, and then come back to Cape Chinley, on the Straits of Hudson's Bay. There they had instructions that they would be met by another steamer, which was to sail, and has sailed, on the 15th of July, to meet them, give them coal, provisions, etc.

"The Neptune is to come and be relieved and be replaced by another boat, the Arctic, which will be under the command of Capit. Hernier, and which is to sail on August 15. This boat will carry an officer and ten men of the Mounted Police, apart from the crew of the ship. They will relieve the Neptune. Their instructions are to patrol the waters, find suitable locations for posts, to extablish those posts, and unless we take active steps to assert what is the undoubted fact, that these lands belong to Canada, we may prevalus find over the neglected.

"At the present time there are whaters and dishermen of different nations crusing in those waters, gotten that last year we sent an expedi-tion to explore, patrol and assert the

PAT'S POINTERS.

Dear Molke—Here I am at the other ind of the world entoirely, wid nothin' betune, nesself an' Australia but the Pacific Ocean, an' they tell me 'tis a foine sheet ov water. Whin I struck Vietoria (a grand place, nearly as purty as any town in ould Ireland), the furst thing I done was to stroll round looking for a cabin, an' who should I meet but Tim Casey, a Tipperary man. I didn't know 'Iim, nor Tim didn't know meself, but there was somethin' in his voice that I took to be Irish, an' we struck up a friendship. Whin I towld him winat I was after, says he to me, says he, "Ye needn't be in a hurry, for I can show ye where there's hundreds ov thim," an' wid that he brought me round to Johnson street, an' foruinst the pickie works showed me a big painted soin, "134 exbins to rent." That made me moind alsey on the point, an' we purseceded to seichrate. I was axin' Casey how he was gettn' along in Victoria, an' he said furst rate. "But I got into a bit ov trouble the other day," says he, "an' its only now that I'm gettin' over it." "What happint to ye, says I to Casey, "Well," says he, "the

the judge, "Net gilty, ver lordship," says the judge, "Net gilty, ver lordship," says on to prove his case, ch? He said as what the prisoner at the bar was drunk an wouldn't get away from the new was a more an 'be token indangerin' the great paint, "I was away from the new ween had not be token indangerin' the fresh paint, "I was away fly soler, yer lordship," says Casey, "for trible tests known to science an' come on ton top," "An' what night the slentific tests be?" says the judge, "maybe ye'd be after tellin' us." "Well," says Casey, "I was able to say truly rural three times, could spell d-4d backwards, an' could name to think that any man what could do all this wasn't for from being in his soler to think that any man what could do all this wasn't for from being in his soler sinses. "He was that full that ye could smell his breath over the telephone," says the pulsman, "an' he took Officer O'Leary for Sarghat Hawton, an' there's not a hair on his face." "That settles it," say the judge, "I'l have to foline or confoine ye, Casey." "Then ye'll have to confoine me," says Casey, "for divil a foline ye'll folind on me." Well, Molke, poor Casey got a week, an' as he was goln' into the Jug, says Detectiv Pardue to him: "Cheer up, Casey."

If it's a drive ye're after,
Ye should take the tally-ho,
But not the patrel wagon,
Or to the jug ye'll go;
Don't hesi-tate shout the price,
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To pay upon the tally-ho
Is cheaper in the ind.

They're puttin' down a lot ov foine soidewalks here, Molke, an' tarein' up the ould wooden wans. O'Brien is buyin' up all the auld planks on the quiet. "What are ye goin' to do wid all that ould stuff', says I to O'Brien the other day. "Whish's, ye fool," says he. "There'll be a gineral elexion on wan ov these days, an' the politicians 'Il want all the planks they can lay howlt on for the winning platform. There's a fortune in it," says he. I don't believe there is, Molke. I'll write to ye again next week, Molke. From yer wander i' cousin, PAT.

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TIDE TABLE.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

New York, Aug. 9.—The factors which depressed stocks yesterday were still in force today and were effective during the early part of which were today are stock exchange session, but they did not prevent an effective raily in the latter part of the day. In the latter part of the day, in the latter in the rally was the buying to cover by professional operators who were disappointed that the adverse factors in the outlook had not induced others than themselves to sell stocks. Also the buying to support the market was attributed to ladiential and powerful sources, which had the effect of discouraging prefessional attacks too prices.

The buying in Southern Pactic was deemed especially important, and this stock led the raily as it did yesterday. The weather news of the day continued unfavorable to spring wheat and was also against cotton.

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Corn did not escape the prevailing deductions for the weather conditions and was manifestly buoyed up as well by sympathy with the wheat market.

The alleged cut in the price of steel billets and the probable consequence to the continuance of the pools continued under active discussion and induced the early decline in United States Steel preferred. The episode is under suspicion of a speculative motive and the personalities associated with it made the professional element wary of the pinst. United States Steel preferred, in fact, turned strong in the late dealings and was one of the leaders of the recovery.

ery.

Metropolitan Street Railway was the most active stock on the list, and its successive flights to higher price levels were regarded as corroborative of the persistent rumors of an amalgamation with the Interborough Rapid Transit. Its rise, which extended four points, was a sustaining factor on the whole list.

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New York, Aug. 9.—Close: Annal Copper 52½; Anna Loco 21¼; Sugar 132½; Smelt & Ref 58½; A T. & S F 78; pfd 90½; B & O 84½; B R T 52½; C P R 125½; C & O 34½; C N W 189; C M & St P 148½; Colo Son 14; pfd 48½; Coms Gas 194½; C F & I 36; Corn Product pfd 66½; Det Ry 66; D & H 150½; D & R G pfd 71; Ills Cent 183; Kas: & Tex pfd 41½; L & N 117½; M P 93½; M St P & St M pfd 127; Mc Trae 123½; Erle 25½; 1st pfd 63½; N Y O & W 31½; Penna 1105½; Pressed Steel 32½; Penna 1105½; Pullman 220; R I C 23½: Southern Ry 25½; 1st pfd 60½; Sou Pae 51½; Pex C & I 44½; Tex Pae 27½: Twin City 08; Leather pfd 83½; Siele 11½; pdf 58½; Rubber 19½; Union Pac 96½; Wabash pfd 30½; Wis Cent 17½; C P'k In Loudon 123½; MacKay

Renewed disquiet abroad over international politics helped to unsettle the early market and a further advance in Sterling Exchange made a gold roovement to London practically of the certain. It is understood that some \$3,000,000 additional gold coin will some \$5,000,000 additional Washington.

After two weeks sojourn at The Washington, Mrs. Ebenezer Scofield and the Misses Scofield, accompanied by three maids and valet, left on the Spokane for a trip to Alaska. In an interview last evening, Mrs. Scofield said that in all their summer trips abroad they had never spent a more delightful fortnight that here in this city at The Washington.

The view from this hotel is a pleasure we shall never forget, and it is our intention to return here next summer. The Washington As to service and the cuisine, it has no equal.

Our party leave Seattle with many

Boston, Aug. 9.-Copper stocks con tinued firm today, but with little activity

New York, Aug. 9.—Close: Prime mercantile paper 4 to 4½ per cent. Sterling Exchange steady, at advance at \$4.88.35 on demand and at \$4.84.84 and \$4.85.35 for skxty days bills. Posted rates \$4.86 and \$4.88.½ to 89. Commercial bills \$4.85%, Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds irregular.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Close: Wheat, Sept. 1014 old 1034; Dec 101; May 102½, Corn, Aug. 524; Sept. 534; Dec 4075; May 40½, Oats, Aug. 334; Dec 344; May. 384. London, Aug. 9.—4 p. m.: Consols for noney 87 15-16; for account 88 1-16.

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THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Office, Victoria, Aug. 9-8 p. m. SYNOPSIS.

A trough of low pressure covers the ion of the Rockies from Cariboo south-rd, while the barometer continues high the Coast. These conditions have used fresh southwesterly whals in this et is southwestern winds in mis let, as the cooler air from the ocean ed into the heated interior; no rain been reported and the weather has fair in all parts of the Pacific slope, TEMPERATURE.

Calgary, Alta.
Fort Simpson
Winnipeg, Man.
Portland, Orc.
San Francisco, Cal. .... 46 .... 54 .... 54 .... 54 .... 52 FORECASTS For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time),

Wednesday: Victoria and vicinity: Moderate to fresh winds; fair, with stationary or higher ature.
Mainland: Light to moderate
fair and warm. VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m. TUESDAY, AUGUST 9.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 9.

Deg. 5 a.m. 54 Mean 56 Noon. 58 Highest 69 5 p.m. 59 Lowest 52

The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:

5 a.m. 2) miles southwest. Noon. 24 miles southwest. Noon. 24 miles southwest. Average state of weather—Pair. Sunshine—12 hours .06 minute. Barometer at noon—Observed. ... 30.640

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For time of high water add 14 minutes to 11. W. at Victoria.
Esquimait (at Dry Dock)—From observations during six months, May to October, compared with simultaneous observations continued at Victoria by Mr. F. Napler Deudsen. renders for the construction of the foundation of the hotel to be built by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in the City of Victoria, will be received up to neon on Monday, July 18, 1904, and to be addressed to Mr. G. H. Webster, Division Engineer, Vancouver, at whose office plan mid specifications can be inspected on and itter July 8.

The lowest or any tender not necessary.

General Superintendent. Vancouver, B. C., June 29, 1904.

above tenders is extended until noon, Monday, Aug. 15th, 1904.

Boilermakers, Etc.

### Municipal Notice.

Payment of Sewer Rental and Sewer Con struction Tax Due for Year 1904. FURIOR TAX Due for Year 1904.
PUBLIC NOTICE Is hereby given that
the SEWER RENTAL AND SEWER CONSTRUCTION TAX which became due or
the 31st day of May last must be paid not
later than the 31st DAY OF JULY INSTANT, otherwise interest will be charged
in addition to costs necessary in enforcing
payment of amounts in arrear. CHAS. KENT, Treasurer and Collector.

y Treasurer and Collector's Office, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., July 22, 1904.

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WELL DONE, MACLEAN!

In view of the approaching election the government and its followers in the Commons are making stremuous exertions to make Quebec solid for Laurier by entering to the national prejudices of "our French fellow-citizens." The Bourassas have full swing, and Sir Wilfrid's English-speaking supporters of this province so far forget their duty to the Empire as to back up the Bourassa programme even to the extent of endorsing certain things that are not far removed from disloyalty—even treason. In the preparation of the new millitiabilithe Bourassa-Laurier element has been permitted to introduce a clause expressly for the purpose of preventing the Canadian millitia trom giving service to the Empire. The men who protested, long and loud, against the sending of a man or a gun to South Africa, have been allowed to incorporate in the new Canadian millitia bill a clause which is intended for no other purpose than to prevent Canada again bearing a portion of the burden of the Empire, to which the colony owes her very existence, and which has protected her against all enemies all the years, of her existence.

rom, of a timber limit situated in the twinter one cand awhich has protected her against all enemies all the years of her existence. When the bill came up yesterday, Mr. Maclean made a speech which is most creditable to him as a loyal British-Canadians. And Mr. Maclean by the constant of the competition of allowing the side of the mass and the content of the competition o



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Plans, specification, forms of tender and contract may be seen on and after the 29th July, 1904, at the office of T. E. Julian, Esq., architect, Vancouver, and at the Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C.

Tenders will not be considered unless made upon the printed forms supplied for the purpose, and the arrecement to execute a bond appended to the form of tender 15 cuty signed by the contractor himself and two responsible sarctics, residents of the Province. In the nenal sum of \$100 for the faithful performance of the work.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE.

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Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, R. C., 27th July, 1964. "LAND REGISTRY ACT."

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IN THE MATTER of an application for a daplicate of the Certificate of Title to Lot Nine hundred and seventy-eight (978), Victoria City.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof, to issue a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to the above land issued to Charles Malcolm Cookson, on the 9th day of August, 1901, and numbered 7631c.

S. Y. WOOTTON.

Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C., 5th day of August, 1904.

NOTICE—At the expiration of the days from this date I intend to app the Chief Commissioner of Lands Works for a lease of the foreshor cluding the rights attached thereto ishing purposes, on Trial Island, covened at a point marked J. S. P., a maning in a southerly direction for hains, including the foreshore lands conditions to the control of the control

chains, including ered by water. J. S. PEARCE.

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WANTED—General servant; salary \$15 a month. Another servant kept. Address "P. W.," this office. au4 LOST—Friday on Government or Johnson lady's black lace collar. Reward if r turned to this office. REQUIRED—Two nurse girls, care of children and light housework, 60 Rae street. jy27

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MARINE NOTES. The Lyra, Capt. Williams, from Manila and Oriental ports, is expected to arrive today with 200 tons of freight

BOSTONIANS STRANDED.

# Happenings in Marine Circles

Passengers on Recent Voyage to Nome Bring Sult Against Steamer Oregon.

General Gossip Gained in Day's Tour of the Water. front.

As a result of the misfortunes which befell the steamship Oregon in her voyage from Nome to Seattle in September of 1901, when her steering apparatus caused her to wander around over the waters of the Pacific ocean in a somewhat circuitous route, her owners are now asked to pay the sum of \$25,000 to the thirty-two passengers who libeled her yesterday for that sum in the federal court, says the Post-Intelligencer. The libel alleges that the company owning the vessel, with full knowledge of her unseaworthy condition, permitted them to embark from Nome, September 6, 1901, and that on getting out to sea an accident happened to her runder that caused them great delay and suffering in reaching port. In addition to the danger they underwent, the libelants claim that their damages are aggravated by the fact that while in their helpless condition they met one of the steamships of the Canadian Pacific line to the Orient, which was willing to take them

Those joining in the libel are: George Brown, Alexander Bruce, Charles S. ell, Cleveland Baker, William Egglen, A. L. Fontana, J. D. Ferguson, m. Falkenburg, R. H. Fairly, Chas. reen, G. L. Green, Frank Gardner, A. Harper, Hattie Kleinschmidt, L. Leiana, Con McMemer, J. D. McNeil, McNickle, F. Mahan, J. Mait, J. F. itchell, W. Morrison, Thomas Moran, P. Morgensen, A. G. Ostrom, Mrs. I. Prather, Ansel Smith, J. Schenk, W. ewart, J. H. Tuttle, J. H. Whiteside dl. N. Wells, Each claims a lien ainst the vessel for \$800 as a balm for sinjured sensibilities.

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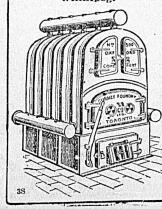
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The message was transmitted 107 miles across Norton sound to St. Mich-

slipping from its grasp and coming to Puget sound, says the Seattle Times. Since the order issued by the Oriental steamship lines plying between Portland and the Far East, and also those running from San Francisco, that all shipping from those ports across the Pacific would cease until the war is over, the Pontland people have been thrown into consternation for fear their trade mry be sent through Puget sound and their business forever lost.

Tramp ships of all sizes and descriptions are being corraled and options secured. That includes all the suitable vessels that can be found in the vicinity of the Columb'a river, which up to the Protland papers declare that this boat will be used if no other can bee found. They go further and allege that there are plenty of small boats available, but that the large vessels are the ones that are desired.

Portlanders are fondly hoping and anxiously waiting for Manager Schwerie, of the Portland & Asiatte Steamship Company, to chartee a boat direct to Japan. They believe that a decision has been reached to send a boat to the Orient and that the only thing delaying this move is that no bont is available. It is announced by those who are close to the situation that at least 6,000 tons of flour are in sight, promised for immediate deivery. This amount would hardly fill one corner of a boat the size of the Sawmut or the Tremont, which are now running from the Sound to the Far East on regular schedules and whose owners daugh at the timidity of the southern steamboat owners.

THETIS AT DUTCH HARBOR.

progress for some time under Capt. Wildman's direction, and many experiments have been made. The final success of the undertaking is attributed by Gen. Greely largely to the scientific knowledge of Capt. Wildman, who has himself suggested and perfected many improvements in wireless transmission since the system was first devised. With the opening of the line Nome is finally placed in permanent telegraphic connection with the outside world after the failure of the cable system across Norton sound.

Coupled with this intelligence, Gen. Greely stated that he also received a message from the cableship Burnside yesterday, stating that the vessel laid 128 miles of cable between Sunday noon and 6 o'clock Monday morning, an extraordinary feat, indicating that the weather is of the best. In the absence of accidents or storms, the Burnside should be in Seattle by Friday to take the hast installment of the Sitka cable, and the line should be completed by August 20 to this city. Only one more link will then be required to place Seattle in telegraphic communication by an all-American route with every important settlement in Alaska. That is the Sitka-Valdez cable, which may be laid this fall. Gen. Greely said:

"Mind, I do not promise this. Cable laying is one of the most difficult of "The revenue cutter Thetis reached Dutch harbor from Honolulu in safety several days ago, and is now on her way to Nome," said George A. Shea, a passenger from the Nortk, who arrived at the Stevens yesterday, says the Post-Intelliprency.

"Our boat made Dutch harbor six days ago, and the Thetis had been there several days prior, and proceeded north. "On the day we left Dutch harbor the cutter Perry was leaving there for the south, coming down by the inner passage."

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Much anxiety had been caused the government because no report had been heard from the Thetis after she left the Hawaiian islands on July 5th. There was no way for telegraphic communication, and it was feared she might have met with mishap on the 2,000 mile trip to the Alaskan coast.

Regarding conditions in the Nome district Mr. Shea said:

"There has been only one rain at Nome this summer, and the whole country is suffering from drouth. Creeks that in the past have supplied an abundance of water for placer mining have entirely dried up. There is universal complaint abecause the drouth, and the senson is likely to fall short of expecta-

# IMPORTANT CASE IN COMMERCIAL LAW

In English Bay Cannery Case Justice Irving Decides That Shares Be Returned.

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Mr. E. P. Davis, K. C., appeared for the plaintiff, and Martin & Weart for the defence.

RICH FIND MADE.

Fourteen Inches of High-grade Ore Found in Wilcox.

A. H. Tuttle, secretary-treasurer and manager of the Broken Hill Mining & Development Company, which is operating the Wilcox mine, is at the Hume, says the Nelson News. In speaking about the recent rich find on the property yesterday he said: "In a tunnel 12 feet from the portal we have struck a ledge that is five feet two ânches in width. Two feet of this carries ore that goes \$11.20 to the ton, two feet that goes \$21.20 to the ton, two feet that goes \$21.20 to the ton, two feet that goes \$21.20 to the ton, two feet that goes \$21 and fourteen inches that runs \$309.80. We are driving another tunnel 135 feet below where the rich find was made. We will have to extend this tunnel about 30 feet before we get underneath where the rich shoot is. If we find it here, and we expect to reach the point in about ten days, then we will have a big thing, as it will give us 125 feet of backs for stoping ground. Besides, there is a chance for the shoot extending down. It is in so far as to be beyond the range of surface disturbances. We are naturally very much pleased with the find.

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As the two lie there upon the ice, a most amusing sort of conversation is kept up between them. The seal makes a remark and flips his fail. The Eskimo replies, and makes a corresponding gesture with his foot. At the same time he throws himself a little forward. The seal soon has something further to sey, and again flips his tail. The Eskimo replies as before, and still further closes up the distance between them.

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When the seal's head is down, the hunter, who ever keeps his eye on his prey, is able to approach still nearer by dragging himself forward upon his chlows. This manoeuvering goes on for some time, until the distance between the performers has been reduced to a few yards, sometimes to a few feet.

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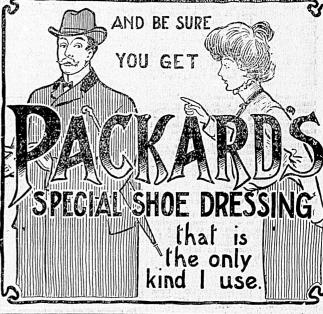


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